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STORAGE SYSTEM AND )  
DIGITAL INFORMATION )  
DELIVERY SYSTEM )

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Sir:

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 26, 2006, the period for response to which extends through May 26, 2006, by the concurrently filed request for a one-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, entry of the following amendments is respectfully requested to place the application in clear condition for allowance or, alternatively, in better form for appeal: